

## Department of Defense DIRECTIVE

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SUBJECT: Settlement and Payment of Claims Under the Military Personnel and Civilian Employees' Claims Act of 1964

References: (a) Military Personnel and Civilian Employees Claims Act of 1964 (31 U.S.C. 240-242).

- (b) Section 133(d) of title 10, United States Code.
- (c) Department of Defense Directive 5515.1, "Delegation of Authority with respect to the Military Personnel Claims Act of 1945, as amended," October 31, 1952 (canceled herein).

## 1. <u>DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY</u>

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of Defense by references (a) and (b), the authorities of the Secretary of Defense to prescribe regulations governing the settlement and payment of claims under reference (a), to settle and pay those claims, and to report once a year to Congress thereon, are delegated to the Secretary of the Army, or his designee, as to civilian officers or employees of the Department of Defense who are not officers or employees of a military department, and to the Secretary of the Army, the Secretary of the Navy, and the Secretary of the Air Force, or their *designees*, *as to members of the armed forces and civilian* officers or employees of their respective military departments.

## 2. CANCELLATION

Reference (c) is canceled effective September 1, 1966.

## 3. EFFECTIVE DATE AND IMPLEMENTATION

Except as provided in section II, this Directive becomes effective immediately. Insofar as practicable, uniform regulations shall be prescribed by the Secretaries of Military Departments to govern the settlement and payment of claims under reference (a). Two copies of the regulations of each military department shall be forwarded to the General Counsel, Department of Defense, within 120 days after the date of this Directive

Deputy Secretary of Defense